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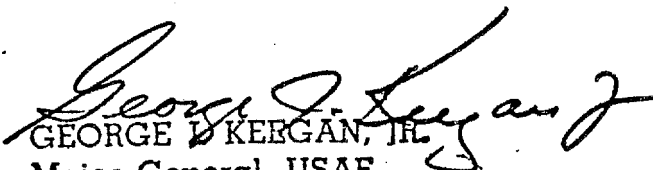
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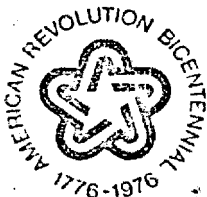
MEMORANDUM FOR DIRECTOR, CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY ✓  
DIRECTOR, NATIONAL SECURITY AGENCY/  
CHIEF, CENTRAL SECURITY SERVICE  
DIRECTOR, DEFENSE INTELLIGENCE AGENCY  
ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF FOR INTELLIGENCE,  
DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY  
DIRECTOR OF NAVAL INTELLIGENCE, DEPARTMENT  
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SUBJECT: Machine Translation

The Intelligence Annex to the FY 78-82 Planning Programming Guidance Memorandum (PPGM) tasks the Air Force to "chair studies which will determine current state of development of machine translation and its usefulness in the intelligence process." The PPGM further tasks the Army, Navy, National Security Agency and Defense Intelligence Agency to participate in this effort and invites the Central Intelligence Agency to provide representation. A report of findings and program proposals must be provided to the Assistant Secretary of Defense (Intelligence) by 1 May 1976.

In order to accomplish this tasking, I request that a senior member of your staff meet with Colonel William P. Olsen of my staff in Room 304, Lynn Building, at 1000, Friday, 19 March 1976. The purpose of this initial meeting is to develop terms of reference and determine the specific tasks which must be accomplished to satisfy PPGM guidance.

  
GEORGE D. KEEGAN, JR.  
Major General, USAF  
Asst Chief of Staff, Intelligence



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